




schedule of events

friday evening

special presentations

- 7:00 pm **Campfire Kick-off** 
National Park Service
- 7:30 **Night Hike: Adaptations of Nocturnal Animals** 
Collin Omara-Green,
Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County
- 9:00 **Star Talk**
Collin Omara-Green,
Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County

hands on demonstrations

- 8:00 pm **Listening for Bats**
Stephanie Remington
- Looking for Bugs** 
Brent Karner,
Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County
- Catching Owls**
Pete Bloom

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special presentations

- 11:00 am **Meet your Native Plants**
Christy Brigham, Randy Philips, and Tony Valois, National Park Service
- 12:30 pm **Mountain Lions in the Santa Monica Mountains**
Seth Riley, National Park Service
- 2:00 **Ballard Mountain**
Patty Colman, Moorpark College
- 3:30 **Animals of the Santa Monica Mountains**
Mollie Hogan, The Nature of Wildworks

hands on demonstrations

- 11:00 am **Bird Walk** 
Kimball Garrett, Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County
- 11:30 **Geology Rocks** 
Antonio Solorio, National Park Service
- Explorando las montañas** 
Zandra Zavalza, National Park Service
- 12:00 pm **Plant Walk: Plant identification and ecology** 
John Tiszler and Tarja Sagar, National Park Service
- Spiders** 
Anna Holden, Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County
- 1:00 **Identifying Plants: Using keys to recognize species**
Tarja Sagar, Ann Dorsey and Irina Irvine, National Park Service
- 1:30 **Explorando las montañas** 
Antonio Solorio, National Park Service
- 2:00 **Pressing Plants: a science and an art** 
Tarja Sagar, Ann Dorsey and Irina Irvine, National Park Service
- Spiders** 
Anna Holden, Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County
- 3:00 **Native Basketry of Southern California**
Bryn Potter
- 4:30 **Songbird Mist-netting**
Katy Delaney, National Park Service
- Telemetry** 
Joanne Moriarty and Julie Golla, National Park Service

ask a scientist!

- 11:30 am **Tom Vandergon**
Professor of Biology, Pepperdine University
- 12:30 pm **Sandra Murcia**
Biologist, Resource Conservation District of the Santa Monica Mountains
- 1:30 **Jeff Sikich and Cathy Schoonmaker**
Wildlife Biologists, National Park Service
- 2:30 **Chester King**
Topanga Archaeological
- 4:30 **John Tiszler**
Plant Ecologist, National Park Service

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